11-13-03

A F/1600 SE ON0146a A

RECEIVED

NOV 1 8 2003

TECH CENTER 1600/2900



FILING BY "EXPRESS MAIL" UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

Art Unit: 1645

Examiner: S. DEVI

EL984308022US

Express Mail Label Number

November 12, 2003

Date of Deposit

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

ROSOK ET AL.

APPLICATION NO: 08/905,293

FILED: AUGUST 1, 1997

FOR: A METHOD FOR INHIBITING IMMUNOGLOBULIN-INDUCED

TOXICITY RESULTING FROM THE USE OF IMMUNOGLOBULINS

IN THERAPY AND IN VIVO DIAGNOSIS

Box AF Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Amendment and Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated May 12, 2003, a reply to which is due August 12, 2003. A Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time is filed herewith, with an authorization to charge the fee therefore. Accordingly, this Response is due November 12, 2003, and is therefore timely filed.

Listing of the Claims begin at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin at page 9 of this paper.